Grades K-12

Calling for Original Art Entries by November 15, 2024

ALSDE Superintendent's Art Show Butler County

Are you interested in entering your original artwork into Butler County's Art Contest? Submit your artwork to your school's Art Sponsor by November 15, 2024: GMS - Jacquie Hamilton; GES - Shera Stinson; WOP - Mary Luann Schofield;

GEO Janet Croley; GHS - Bryant Marlow; MCK - Nikki Crum



Butler County School System 2024-2025 Art Competition

Categories and Divisions

Grade Divisions: Grades K-2, Grades 3-4, Grades 5-6, Grades 7-8, Grades 9-10, and Grades 11-12.

Category I: Two-dimensional work.

Category II: Photography or computer-generated work.

Requirements and Criteria

- Quantity: Limit: One (1) piece of artwork per student. Each piece must be individually created; classroom projects (multiple entries of the same topic) will not be accepted.
- Size Requirements: 8"x11" pieces of art. Winning entries will be matted and sealed at Central Office
- School Art Liaison should complete the entry form with all required signatures.

Judging

Artwork should be presented in a professional manner. At the state level of competition, all entries will be exhibited and secondary works submitted will be judged. The judging panel will select the winners in each category using the following criteria:

- Original Design: Original approach to process, concept, and subject matter. Artwork must be an original design of the student. Do not submit cartoon characters, anime or copies of printed works. If originality cannot be determined, the ALSDE reserves the right to make the decision as to whether or not it may be displayed.
- Technical Skill: Competence required for successful execution of a work in a particular medium; ability to take risks and experiment with material, form, and content.
- Expression: Emergence of personal voice or style.
- Composition: Effective use of the Elements of Art and Principles of Design. (The Elements of Art and Principles of Design are further described and illustrated in the 2017 Alabama Courses of Study: Arts Education, Visual Arts Section.)
- Disqualification: Any violation of Guidelines.